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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Interested Parties

**FROM:** Nadine Pfeiffer, Rule-making Coordinator

**RE:** **Proposed Amendment to Hospital Rule 10A NCAC 13B .3302**

GS 150B-21.1, as amended by Session Law 2003-229, requires a rule-making body to notify certain individuals of its intent to amend a permanent rule. It also requires notification of the date, time and location of the public hearing.

The Division of Health Service Regulation submitted form OAH 0300 to the Codifier of Rules, Office of Administrative Hearings, indicating our intent to amend the following Hospital Rule:

- 10A NCAC 13B .3302, Minimum Provision of Patient's Bill of Rights.

The public hearing is scheduled for December 3, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 201, Council Building, 701 Barbour Drive, Raleigh, NC 27603. The building is located on the Dorothea Dix Hospital campus. The Division is accepting public comments on this rule from October 15, 2007 – December 14, 2007. Comments can also be made at the public hearing.

A copy of the proposed rules can be found at the Division's web site (<http://facility-services.state.nc.us/ruleactions.html>). If you have questions related to the proposed rule please contact the Acute and Home Care Licensure & Certification Section at (919) 855-4620.

Should you have any questions regarding this memorandum please feel free to contact me at 855-3758.

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